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R. L. POWELL is at work on a contract for surveying thirteen townships in the Burro mountains and on the Gila river in Grant county.

A mail agent will be placed on the Santa Fe road between El Paso and Rincon in a few days. A new baggage car is expected every day, and it will be a kind of combination car for both baggage and mail.

Passengers are arriving daily from the East over the Texas and Pacific. At present trains run no further than Sierra Blanca, where connection is made with the Southern Pacific. Through passenger trains will be run to El Paso, however, before next January, and the rate from this place to St. Louis will then be fifty-seven dollars for limited and sixty dollars for unlimited tickets. —Lone Star.

The State movement appears to be meeting with considerable approval in various portions of the Territory. It is thought by some that with two capable senators in the Upper House of Congress and a representative with a vote in the lower house that New Mexico will have a potential voice in securing proper and legitimate legislation looking to the speedy and satisfactory settlement of the vast Spanish and Mexican land grants in this Territory. The time has now arrived that these important questions should be settled. Delay works injury to the country. Let the title be fixed and determined no matter in whom whether in the United States or in the claimants and the Territory will take a great step forward on the road of progress. It has been a difficult matter to secure any congressional action looking to a wholesale general law under which land grant title can be determined. Two competent senators from the State of New Mexico would be much more influential in this direction than a territorial delegate. The feeling hitherto in the Territory has been greatly adverse to the state movement, but the necessity of dealing with land titles and regulating the freights and tariffs on railroads has worked a revolution and there appears to be a decidedly favorable feeling looking to the adoption of a state constitution.

ARTESIAN WELLS.

All over New Mexico on the high plateaus are magnificent stock ranges, abundant timber and park like valleys covered with native grasses which are not yet occupied, for the reason that there is no permanent surface water. The best of such pastures are likewise on Government land. There is plenty of water beneath the soil as ordinary wells of not great depth fully demonstrate. Bringing permanent water to the surface and the finest ranches of New Mexico are not yet occupied. In California and Nevada it has been demonstrated that artesian wells can be sunk which fully supply water for stock ranches. The same thing can be done without doubt in New Mexico. If such an experiment should prove successful, the possibilities of the Territory, as a stock growing country, is not yet suspected. No attempt at an artesian well has yet been made in the Territory. General Pope, then Captain Pope, sank a well on the old California Trail in Texas seven or eight hundred feet, but managed to miss the water. This well is in the Western border of the Staked Plain just East of Fort Stockton, on the lower Pecos. He found no water at all, but nearly in the same line the Texas Pacific has found abundance at almost every point they have sunk for it. Cap. Pope evidently struck a dry spot by accident. Congress should appropriate a sufficient sum for a thorough test as it would greatly enhance the value of the land and stimulate the settlement of the country should the result be successful. Demonstrate that an artesian well can be secured in New Mexico and private capital will cover the Territory with them. The experiment is what individuals do not care to undertake and hence the Government should take it in hand.

Guiteau's labors as assistant counsel to prove himself insane have now become necessary. Insane men are not usually anxious to admit. Guiteau himself, when suddenly turned upon by Judge Porter with the catch question, "Your defense is insanity, isn't it?" replied that his defense was the act of the Diet commanding him to do as he had done. But this detention he has long since ceased to insist upon. The other day he wanted experts to say whether, when a man felt himself compelled to do an illegal act, by a power beyond him which he could not control, and which dominated his moral agency he was to be considered sane or insane. Afterwards, when a witness spoke of inequality in the two sides of the head as a sign of insanity, Guiteau eagerly exclaimed, "That hits my case exactly!" And yesterday, when a witness testified to his sanity in 1878, Guiteau yelled, "That's got nothing to do with what occurred in May or June. I might have gone crazy a dozen times since he saw me." Such persistency in claiming insanity is very queer. But, after all, it will not do to generalize too hastily. The inmates of insane asylums know that in order to secure what they want, their freedom, it is necessary to make others believe that they are sane; and for the same purpose Guiteau must do exactly the opposite, namely convince people that he is insane. Hence the fact of his insisting on his own insanity, extraordinary as it at first appears, may not be in itself conclusive of the great point now at issue. —N. Y. Sun.

Budweiser beer at Billy's. 5-6-11

The S. P. and T. & P. being now united, both passenger and freight rates on the A. T. & S. F. will have to take a "jump" or the road will lose much of its present trade. The T. & P. will land both goods and passengers into Southern New Mexico much cheaper than the A. T. & S. F. has ever done, and the trade and travel will naturally find its way over to the road where the best terms can be had. Rates over the A. T. & S. F. are too high, and as this road has been the "favored child" of New Mexico it should at once reduce them to a reasonable standard. The company is to-day losing money by adhering to its present high tariff for travel. Ten cents a mile is decidedly too much, and unless the road cuts the rate the Legislature, which will convene shortly, will very likely take the matter in hand. —Mining Chronicle.

Prominent men in Canada are denouncing the question of annexation, and Sir John A. Macdonald, the Premier, has declared strongly in favor of it. In a recent speech he said: "Had he his choice between independence and annexation he would advocate annexation at once, rather than be a small nation compelled to raise the phantom of an army and the phantom of a navy, besides the many other expensive paraphernalia of self-government, ultimately absorbed, as Texas and California have been absorbed, and as Mexico would be." —Inter Ocean.

Six varieties new figs at Cooper's candy factory. 26-1w.

Why! Where did you get such nice butter? At Bennet & Co.'s, of course. 12-10-11.

Groceries for Las Vegas. Bennet & Co. have opened a large stock of groceries in same room with California meat market on Sixth street. A full line of canned goods, teas, baking powder, spices, flour, crackers, but ter, eggs and vegetables. Go there for anything you want. 12-8-1w.

Mrs. J. B. Baker & Co. have just received a fancy lot of Christmas toys, toilet mats, light kid gloves and also the celebrated Foster kid glove. Ladies, hair and furnishing goods. Also a fresh line of confectionery and elegant cigars. Opposite St. Nicholas Hotel. 12-8-1w.

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The ladies say those potato-fryers at Roberts & Wheelock's are just too lovely. 12-6-11.

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Children's pianos and children's organs, just received by Marcellino, Boffa & Perez. 12-8-11

Removal. J. C. Blake has removed his harness shop from the plaza to Shupp's building, of the bank. He now has more room to accommodate his largely increased stock and growing business. He employs the best workmen and can fill orders for harness, saddles, etc., promptly and satisfactorily. 11-18-11

Novelties in cloaks, dolmans, jackets and ulsters at Stern's.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves! Three hundred in stock and 300 on the road of the celebrated Wm. Resor & Co., cook and heating stoves. Come and give us a call. MARWEDE, BRUMLEY & Co. 11-19-11m.

I think the world of those large pound loaves. They make me think of home-made bread. They all say so. You can find them at the Centre Street Bakery. 12-9-11

Millinery and Fancy Goods. Mrs. S. R. Saulsbury has opened a line of millinery and fancy goods, corner of Main and Seventh streets, opposite M. A. Otero's residence. Ladies are respectfully invited to call. 12-8-11.

Fresh Oysters. Every day direct from Baltimore, wholesale and retail, at Phillips & Milligan's on Centre street. Also fresh fish twice each week. 9-16-11m

For a fine line of ladies' dress goods, gents' clothing, boys' clothing, dry goods, hats and caps, boots and shoes, groceries, queensware, glassware, etc., go to T. Romero & Son's. 11-6-11.

Best head cheese, sausage, beef and pork at the California meat market. There is the place to get good bargains. 12-8-1w

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Made to the Comptroller of the Currency, at the close of business, October 1, 1881:

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts, \$30,585.77
U. S. Bonds, 30,000.00
Cash and exchange, 308,961.39
Current expenses, 4,865.11
Banking House, 18,900.00
Deposits, 867,854.87

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock, \$50,000.00
Surplus fund and profits, 25,277.40
Circulation, 45,000.00
Deposits, 867,854.87

DIRECTORS: J. Reynolds, L. P. Browne, Geo. J. Dinkel, C. Blanchard, F. A. Manzanarez.

Town Lots for Sale in Bernalillo. The Perez family, of Bernalillo, have laid out a large tract of land in that beautiful town, extending north on either side of the railroad. These lots are very desirable for business and residence property, and are right among the vineyards and fruit-growing lands. Lands for gardens, orchards and vineyards can be easily obtained. The property will be sold at reasonable rates. For further information apply to J. M. PEREZ, Bernalillo, N. M.

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1868	Queen	Liverpool	4,861,297.08
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1861	Commercial Union	London	9,008,571.24
1794	Insurance Co. of North America	Philadelphia	7,903,588.99
1879	Lion	London	1,340,141.14
1885	Pennsylvania	Philadelphia	2,131,639.17
1875	Fire Insurance Association	London	1,331,782.01
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